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Dear Mr. Nguyen,

Please find my response on your letter of Oct.29 attached.

The paper documents were mailed to US PTO.

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